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Joint Hearing – Border Security: Fencing

WHO: Subcommittee on Economic Security, Infrastructure Protection,
and Cybersecurity
Chairman Dan Lungren (R-CA)

Committee on Government Reform
Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy, and Human
Resources
Chairman Mark Souder (R-IN)

WHEN: 2 p.m., Thursday, July 20, 2006

WHERE: 2118 Rayburn House Office Building

WITNESSES

TBD

BACKGROUND

The Subcommittee on Economic Security, Infrastructure Protection and Cybersecurity and the Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy, and Human Resources will hold a joint hearing on Thursday, July 20th. This hearing will address border security with specific focus on fencing. As part of the border security initiative set forth by House Leadership, the subcommittees will review how existing fencing has impacted criminal activity along the Nation's borders and how various fencing proposals would address the country's border security needs.

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